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Portland Opinion As to Mr. Withycombe's Chance.

NOMINATION IS CONCEDED

Very Strong With the Farmers of Oregon—Fearless in Public Work and Expression—Resume of His Standing Before People.

PORTLAND, March 31 (Special to the Astorian)—The consensus of opinion in this city today is that James Withycombe will carry the primaries for governor in Western Oregon, three to one against any other candidate, but that he will more than hold his own in this city, and in Eastern Oregon. The Geer and Johns' boomers concede that the agricultural vote is against them, and base their hopes on bad weather keeping the farmers away from the polls on April 20th. No bets are offered against Withycombe in this city. His nomination is more than conceded. Next comes the question of his election.

All admit that Dr. Withycombe has shown great ability as an organizer. Skillful politicians almost concede that he will prove a successful campaign manager. Dr. Withycombe has evidently had good advisers from the start and has made no mistakes. The question as to how aggressive a campaign he can put up for election remains unanswered. If he is as vigorous and successful in shaping his affairs for the decisive poll on June 4th, as he has been in preparing for the primary election, he will defeat George Chamberlain by at least 10,000 plurality. The records show that Dr. Withycombe is a man of action and that he is capable of putting up an aggressive fight as a public speaker. His record as state veterinarian under the Penney administration shows him to be absolutely fearless in the discharge of his duty. When early in the '90's the cattle plague broke out in Oregon and threatened to ruin the live stock industry, he was called upon to enforce the law against tuberculosis. The large herd belonging to the Ladd's was suspected to be infected with the disease. Dr. Withycombe was sent to examine them and pronounced them incurable. He ordered the entire herd, which cost \$42,000, to be slaughtered, supervising the task himself, holding a post mortem on each animal, and proving that his judgment was right. He took the same course with the Bush herd at Salem, enforcing the law of the state to the letter against two of the richest men in Oregon. Governor Penney said "go ahead and do your duty, and I will back you." As a clean and conscientious man, James Withycombe would not be found wanting in the office of governor.



His ability to meet any Democratic opponent on the stump was shown at the McMinnville Farmers' & Shippers' Congress. He had made a fearless argument to prove that the Portland live stock market was very unsatisfactory to the stock growers, and cattle shippers. He argued that another packing house was needed there to produce competitive conditions. He said Portland was not a staple market for live stock and showed that steers selling at \$2.25 per hundred netted the packing houses two or three hundred per cent. He said if conditions were changed, it would be the greatest benefit to the cattle industry in Oregon. A Portland lawyer who was present replied to Dr. Withycombe and at the next session of the Congress, Withycombe answered the following words:

"I have nothing to retract of what I said about the unsatisfactory conditions prevailing in the Portland live stock market. My convictions are based upon an experience of thirty-four years more or less connected with stock raising and agriculture, and I will not sacrifice my convictions for expediency, or for the sake of getting an office."

His fearless reply was delivered in a clear ringing voice that carried conviction to everyone present as to his sincerity and won him a round of applause.

Dr. Withycombe's nomination by the Republicans is more feared by the Democratic managers than that of any other aspirant. They know he has the confidence of the farmers of Oregon. He has been holding institutes before them in all parts of the state, and has always preached common sense, practical doctrines. There is none more critical than a farmers' audience toward a speaker discussing their occupation. Dr. Withycombe has mingled with them at these institutes, and at their local and state affairs. He has never been a politician, has never talked politics. He has devoted himself to his occupation, to his profession, which is scientific agriculture and the promotion of the life stock

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SERIOUS FUEL PROBLEM

Reports That Chicago Has Sixty-Day Coal Supply is Proved to be Untrue.

CHICAGO, March 31.—With the immediate prospect of a big miners' strike and an attending possible coal famine the fuel problem was changed completely in Chicago yesterday.

The reports of "Sixty days' supplies" of coal dwindled to but half that amount when inventories were taken preparatory to meeting the serious problem which now confronts street railways and manufacturers in the city.

With the opening of business houses there was a scurrying after fuel never before seen in the history of Chicago. More than 40,000 tons of coal were hauled from railroad yards and coal yards during the day. Members of the coal teamsters' union alone moved 33,400 tons of coal during the day, more than ever before has been hauled in one day in the history of the organization.

Price Raises.

The price of the various grades of soft coal rose 75 cents a ton during the day, an increase of 30 cents being recorded the first half hour of the day's business.

Another element which entered into the fuel problem and which made the situation more serious was the doubtful attitude of the coal teamsters.

It was at first believed that the teamsters would in no way be affected by the miners' strike, but when the question of hauling the fuel from the mines which will be operated with non-union labor came up, it was reported that the teamsters would refuse to do their work.

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